



Brigadier General Stephen B. Leisenring

Commander

Mission & Installation Contracting Command



Brigadier General Stephen B. Leisenring assumed command of the Mission and Installation Contracting Command, Fort Sam Houston, Texas on November 4, 2009.

Brigadier General Leisenring enlisted in the Army in June 1982 and attended Basic Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in November 1982 upon graduation from the U.S. Army Officer Candidate School, Fort Benning, Georgia. His military education includes completion of the Chemical Corps Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College. His civilian education includes a Bachelor of Science degree in Natural Science from Northern Michigan University, the Army Training with Industry Program, a Masters of Military Arts and Science from the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and a Masters of Strategic Studies from the U.S. Army War College.

Prior to his current assignment, Brigadier General Leisenring has held a variety of operational and acquisition command and staff assignments. His operational assignments include: Platoon Leader and Executive Officer, 10th Chemical Company, Kaiserslautern, Germany; Battalion Chemical Officer, 196th Ordnance Battalion, Monchengladbach, Germany; Company Commander, 148th Ordnance Company, Twisteden, Germany; and Brigade Chemical Officer, 1st Brigade, 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, Kentucky (OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD / DESERT STORM). Brigadier General Leisenring's acquisition assignments include: Contracting Officer, U.S. Army Missile Command, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama; Contingency Contracting Officer, U.S. Army Contracting Command Europe (OPERATION JOINT ENDEAVOR); Deputy Product Manager, Program Executive Office for Tactical Missiles, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama; Executive Officer to the Commanding General, Defense Contract Management Agency, Alexandria, Virginia; Commander, Defense Contract Management Agency - Virginia, Manassas, Virginia; Director of Contract Operations, Project and Contracting Office, Baghdad, Iraq (OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM); Director of Procurement Operations, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Policy & Procurement), Rosslyn, Virginia; Commander, U.S. Army Contracting Command Europe; Commander, 409th Contracting Support Brigade, Seckenheim, Germany; and Principal Assistant Responsible for Contracting, U.S. Army Europe.

Brigadier General Leisenring's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, two Bronze Star Medals, the Purple Heart Medal, two Defense Meritorious Service Medals, four Meritorious Service Medals, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, two Army Commendation Medals, five Army Achievement Medals, the Southwest Asia Service Medal with two battle stars, the Iraq Campaign Medal, the NATO Medal, the Southwest Asia Kuwait Liberation Medal, the Combat Action Badge, the Parachutist Badge, the Air Assault Badge, and the Pathfinder Badge.

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